

Central Texas Dressage Society 2016 Summer Report

CTDS started the year out in January with our 2015 Year End Awards Banquet and silent auction that was held at Abel's North in north Austin. We recognized all of the accomplishments of our competitors and volunteers. We had a nice assortment of barn baskets and donations for our silent auction which helps offset our educational expenses.

CTDS(Central Texas Dressage Society) currently has 160 active members.

We have scheduled for this year:

9 mini(schooling) shows, two – one day rated shows

four clinics/symposium – one free member only clinic with instruction donated by CTDS member Linda Pryor, two day symposium with Betsy Steiner, one day clinic with Thomas Poulin and one day clinic coming up with Dr. Chopra.

The CTDS facebook page has 1714 “friends”.

Hulsebos Saddlery has generously donated a saddle for a raffle for this year. Tickets are \$10 each. The drawing will be held during our 2016 Awards Banquet.

Dan Talbot, a reporter for Lone Star Horse Report, will be publishing an article about CTDS.

2017 UPDATES!!!!

Bluebonnet Classic rated show – April 8, 2017 – judge Lilo Fore

Bluebonnet clinic – April 9, 10, 2017 – with Lilo Fore first priority to competitors in the Bluebonnet show.

Symposium - May 19, 20, 22, 2017 – three days with Betsy Steiner

Fall Finale show – August 19, 2017 – judge Anne Gribbons

Fall Finale clinic – August 20, 21, 2017 – with Anne Gribbons clinician, first priority to competitors in the Fall Finale.